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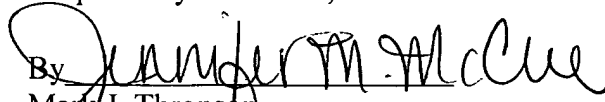
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Applicant's undersigned representatives respectfully request that the Examiner acknowledge the references cited on the Forms PTO/SB/08 that were originally submitted along with the Information Disclosure Statements filed on April 23, 2004 and June 29, 2004.

A copy of the original submissions, along with a copy of the PTO stamped postcard receipts, are being submitted herewith for your convenience.

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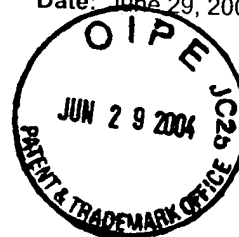
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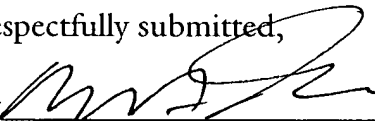
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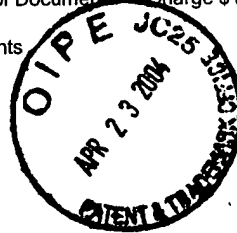
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